

CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-13. (Canceled)

14. (Currently Amended) A dispensing apparatus configurable in fluid communication with a supply container for dispensing a fluid therefrom, said dispensing apparatus comprising:

- a. a fluid passage comprising:
 - i. an inlet;
 - ii. an outlet; and
 - iii. an orifice configurable to provide fluid communication between said inlet and said outlet;
- ~~b. a sealing member biased to a closed position that prevents a flow between said inlet and said outlet, and movable to allow said flow in an open position; and~~
[[c.]] b. a deformable envelope defining a space, operatively associated with said inlet, and configurable to receive said fluid from said supply container by action of a pressure differential between said supply container and said space, and operatively associated with said inlet for fluid flow thereto; and
- c. a sealing member laterally separated from said deformable envelope, biased to a closed position that prevents a flow between said inlet and said outlet, and movable to allow said flow in an open position.

15. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 14, wherein movement of said sealing member and deformation of said envelope is achieved using an actuating means.

16. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 15, wherein said actuating means is configured to move said sealing member to said open position and to contract said space, in concert.
17. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 14, wherein said orifice is defined by a valve seat, and said sealing member is biased into a sealing engagement with said valve seat in said closed position.
18. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 15, wherein said pressure differential between said supply container and said space occurs by a reduction in pressure within said space relative to said supply container, created by a contraction and a subsequent expansion of said space using said actuating means.
19. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 14, wherein said envelope is resilient.
20. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 14, wherein said space is operatively coupled to said supply container by a flexible hose.
21. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 14, further comprising a first valve means configured to allow unidirectional flow from said space to said inlet.
22. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 21, further comprising a second valve means configured to allow unidirectional flow from said supply container to said space.
23. (Previously Presented) The dispensing apparatus of claim 22, wherein each of said first valve means and said second valve means is a flapper valve.